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(Washington, DC) - U.S. Rep. John Campbell (CA-48) today invited U.S. Senator Hillary Clinton (NY) to participate in a press conference this Thursday, April 10, announcing the unveiling of the "Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is Act," legislation which would amend the Tax Code to allow individuals to make voluntary donations to the federal government above and beyond their normal tax liability. Rep. Campbell extended the invitation to Senator Clinton after she stated last week that "We didn't ask for George Bush's tax cuts. We didn't want them, and we didn't need them."

"It's a great injustice that citizens wishing to fulfill their dream of paying more taxes cannot simply check a box on their 1040 form to make a donation beyond their normal tax liability," said Campbell. "We are here to tell Senator Clinton, Warren Buffet, Barbara Streisand, and other Americans who have volunteered to pay more taxes that we have

heard their cries and we will soon give them a chance to put their money where their mouth is. We invite Senator Clinton and other liberals who reject the Bush tax cuts, or those who simply wish to pay more taxes, to join us this Thursday to help launch our legislation."

Rep. Campbell authored the bill in response to many high-profile liberals like Senators Hillary Clinton and Barack Obama (IL), Warren Buffett, and Barbra Streisand who have publicly stated that Americans should pay more taxes. Rep. Campbell's legislation would amend the Tax Code to place a line on the IRS tax form to allow citizens to make voluntary donations to the federal government above and beyond their normal tax liability.

Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is Act Official Unveiling

Thursday, April 10, 2008

11:00 a.m.

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